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EXTRACTION METALLURGY

SUBJECT : **PROCESS ENGINEERING 2**

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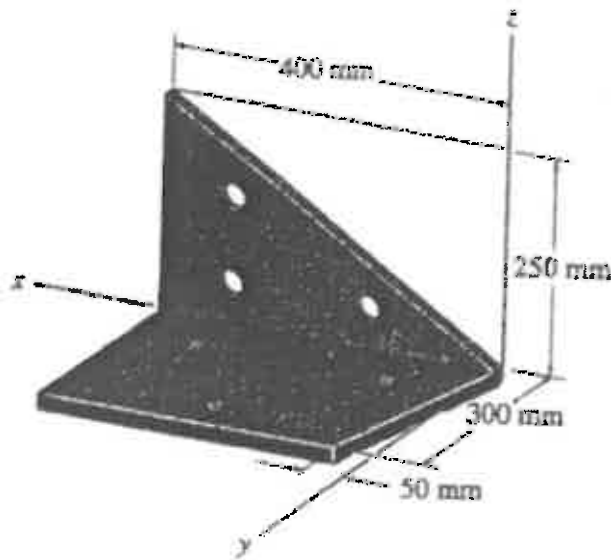
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INSTRUCTIONS : ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS.

REQUIREMENTS : 2 SHEETS OF GRAPH PAPER PER STUDENT

QUESTION 1

1.1 Determine the angle between the edges of the sheet-metal bracket.

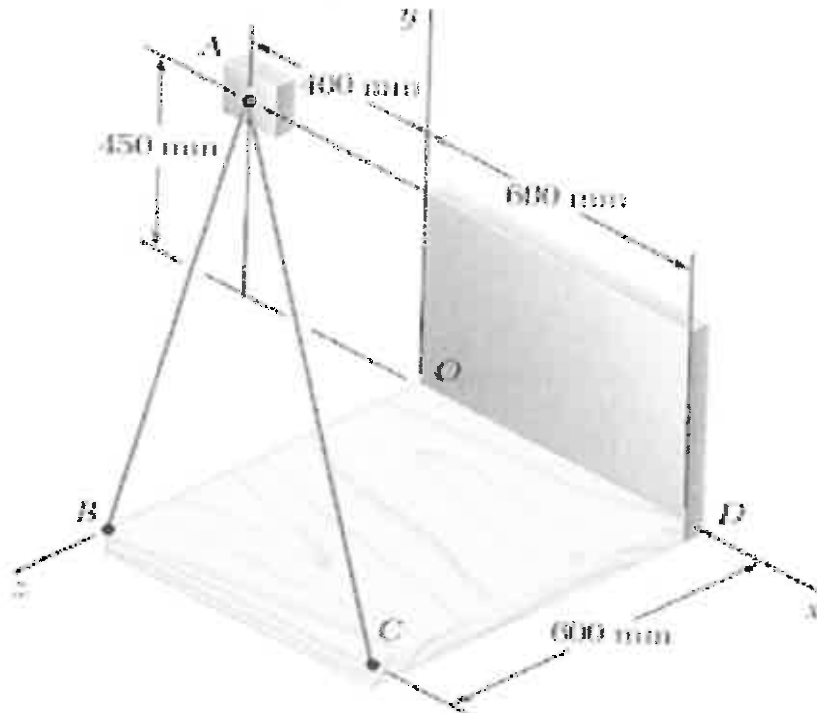


(10)

1.2 What will be the distance from P (2,-1, 7) to point Q (1,-3,5)?

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1.3 Knowing that the tension is 850 N in cable AB and 1020 N in cable AC, determine the magnitude and direction of the resultant of the forces exerted at A by the two cables.

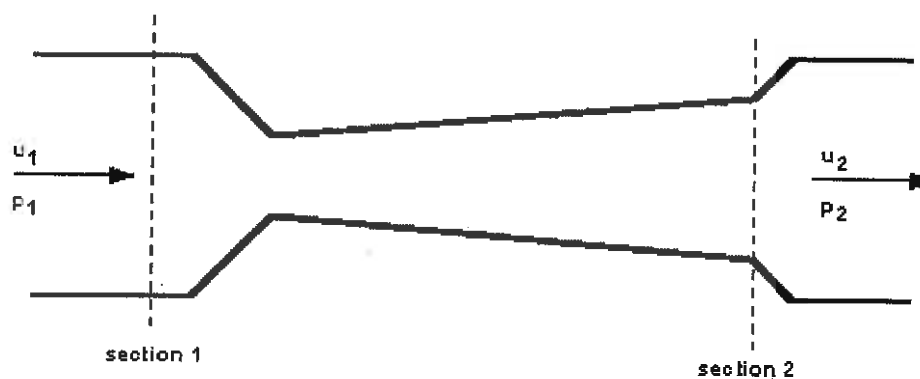


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QUESTION 2

2.1



A fluid, density $\rho = 960 \text{ kg/m}^3$ is flowing steadily through the above tube. The section diameters are $d_1 = 100 \text{ mm}$ and $d_2 = 80 \text{ mm}$. The gauge pressure at 1 is $p_1 = 200 \text{ kN/m}^2$. The velocity at 1 is $u_1 = 5 \text{ m/s}$. The tube is horizontal ($z_1 = z_2$).

What is the gauge pressure at section 2?

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2.2 What height would a water barometer need to be to measure atmospheric pressure?

(5)

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QUESTION 3

3.1 A centrifugal pump delivers water at the rate of 1800 litres per minute, to a height of 20m through a 0.1m, diameter, 80m long pipe. Find the power required to drive the pump, if the overall efficiency is 65%, and Darcy's friction factor=0.02. (10)

3.3 A centrifugal pump is required to produce a flow of water at a rate of $0.0160 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ against a total head of 30.5 m. The operating characteristic of a pump at a speed of 1430 rev/min and a rotor diameter of 125 mm is as follows.

Efficiency	0	48	66	66	45	%
Q_A	0	0.0148	0.0295	0.0441	0.059	m^3/s
H_A	68.6	72	68.6	53.4	22.8	m

Determine the correct size of the pump and its speed to produce the required head and flow.

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QUESTION 4

4.1 Discuss the importance of project planning and cost estimating with respect to plant maintenance. (10)

4.2 Explain the different types of Hydrogen damages in pipes. (15)

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TOTAL

[100]

FORMULA-SHEET

$$\tau = \mu \frac{du}{dy}$$

$$R = \rho g h$$

$$I_{xx} = I_{xx0} + A y^2$$

$$u = \sqrt{2g(h_2 - h_1)}$$

$$Q_{\text{max}} = C_d A_1 \sqrt{\frac{2g(P_1 - P_2)}{1 - \left(\frac{A_1}{A_2}\right)^2}}$$

$$Q_{\text{max}} = C_d A_1 A_2 \sqrt{\frac{2g(P_1 - P_2)}{A_2^2 - A_1^2}}$$

$$P_2 = P_1 + P_2 \cdot P_3$$

$$F = Q(d_2 - d_1)$$

$$\nu = \frac{\mu}{\rho}$$

$$R = \text{pressure at solid} \times \text{area}$$

$$Q = A v = A_1 v_1 = A_2 v_2$$

$$h_1 = \frac{\rho g (L_2 - L_1)}{\rho}$$

$$Q = C_d A_1 \sqrt{2g h_1}$$

$$Q = C_d \frac{2}{3} B \sqrt{2g} h^{3/2}$$

$$K_0 = \frac{\rho d^3}{\mu}$$

$$p = \rho g h$$

$$S_c = \frac{1}{A x}$$

$$\frac{h_1}{\rho g} + \frac{v_1^2}{2g} + z_1 = \frac{h_2}{\rho g} + \frac{v_2^2}{2g} + z_2 + h_f$$

$$h_f = \frac{32 \mu L v}{\rho g d^3}$$

$$Q_{\text{max}} = \sqrt{2g} \int b h^{3/2} dh$$

$$Q = C_d \frac{8}{15} \sqrt{2g} L \left(\frac{h}{2}\right)^{5/2}$$

$$Q = \frac{4g}{L} \frac{\rho d^3}{128 \mu}$$

$$h_f = \frac{32 \mu L v}{\rho g d^3}$$

APPENDICES

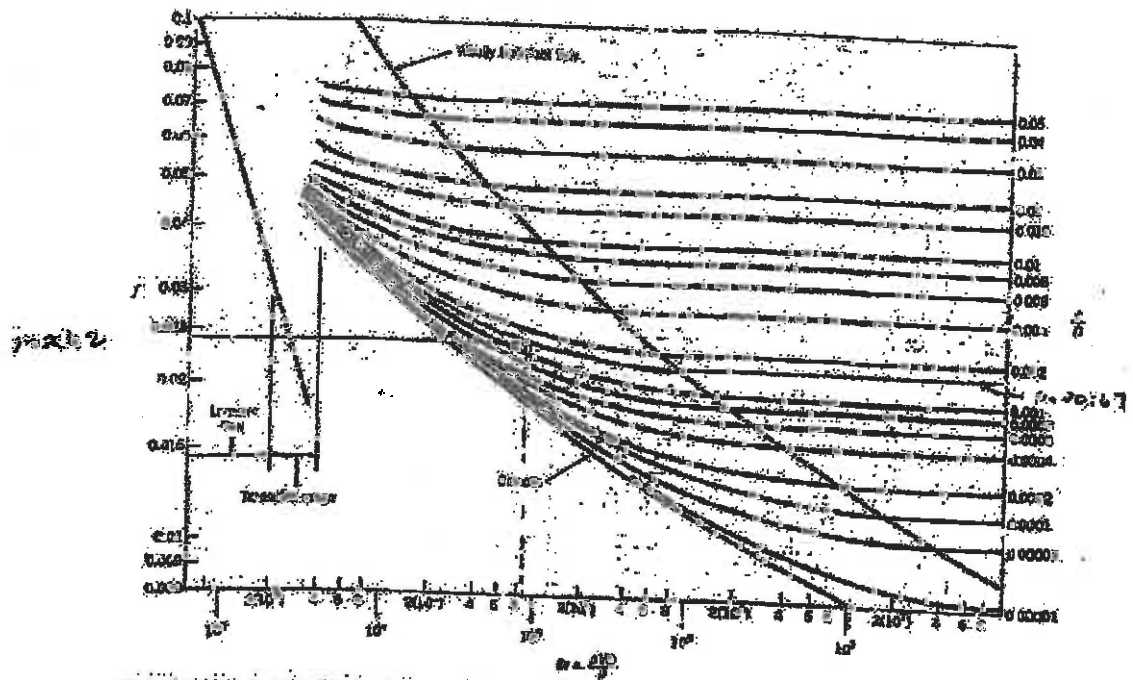


FIGURE 9.26 Relationship between friction factor and relative roughness for smooth pipes — the Moody chart (from Ref. 7 with permission)

Pipe Flow

Darcy-Weisbach formula

$$h_f = \frac{8fLQ^2}{\pi d^5} = \frac{10fLQ^2}{\pi d^5}$$

Moody pipe formula

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{f}} = 4.0 \log_{10} \left(\frac{R}{\epsilon} \right) + 3.45$$

Colebrook-White formula

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{f}} = -4.0 \log_{10} \left(\frac{2.5}{2R\sqrt{f}} + \frac{\epsilon}{3.7d} \right)$$

Pumps

Work done per unit weight of fluid

$$= \frac{1}{g} (V_{w2} u_2 - V_{w1} u_1)$$

Hydraulic efficiency

$$\eta_h = \frac{Q h}{V_{w2} u_2}$$

Specific speed

$$N_s = \frac{N \sqrt{Q}}{h^{3/4}}$$

Open channel hydraulics

Chézy formula

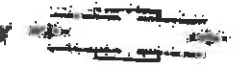
$$Q = AC \sqrt{mi}$$

Manning's formula

$$C = \frac{1.49}{n}$$

TABLE 8.2

Loss Coefficients for Edge Components ($h_L = K_L \frac{V^2}{2g}$) (Data from Refs. 5, 16, 27)

Component		K_L	
a. Elbows			
Regular 90°, flanged		0.3	
Regular 90°, threaded		1.5	
Long radius 90°, flanged		0.2	
Long radius 90°, threaded		0.7	
Long radius 45°, flanged		0.2	
Regular 45°, threaded		0.4	
b. 180° return bends			
180° return bend, flanged		0.2	
180° return bend, threaded		1.2	
c. Tees			
Line flow, flanged		0.2	
Line flow, threaded		0.5	
Branch flow, flanged		1.0	
Branch flow, threaded		2.0	
d. Unions, flanged			
Union, flanged		0.06	
e. Valves			
Globe, fully open		10	
Angle, fully open		2	
Gate, fully open		0.35	
Gate, 1/2 closed		0.25	
Gate, 1/4 closed		2.5	
Gate, 1/8 closed		17	
Swing check, forward flow		2	
Swing check, backward flow		5	
Ball valve, fully open		0.05	
Ball valve, 1/2 closed		5.2	
Ball valve, 1/4 closed		210	

*For Fig. 8.2, the loss coefficient is given by